

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. \_\_\_\_\_**

**OFFERED BY ~~MR. WELCH OF VERMONT~~**

*Ms Capps and Mr. Welch*  
**(Amendment to ACA-REP\_002)**

Add at the end the following new section:

1 **SEC. 3. PRESERVATION OF PROHIBITION ON RESCISSIONS**  
2 **AND APPLICATION OF PREEXISTING CONDI-**  
3 **TION EXCLUSIONS.**

4 Section 2 (repealing the Patient Protection and Af-  
5 fordable Care Act (Public Law 111-148)) shall not take  
6 effect unless and until the Director of the Office of Man-  
7 agement and Budget, in consultation with the Director of  
8 the Congressional Budget Office, certifies to the Congress  
9 that the repeals effected by such section will not remove  
10 or reduce—

11 (1) the protections against prohibition on re-  
12 scissions under section 2712 of the Public Health  
13 Service Act, as inserted by section 1001(5) of the  
14 Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act; and

15 (2) the protections against the application of  
16 preexisting condition exclusions under section 2704  
17 of the Public Health Service Act, as inserted and

1 amended by section 1201 of the Patient Protection  
2 and Affordable Care Act.

